

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number : 09/976,458 Confirmation No. 9967  
Applicant : Bin-Yeong YOON et al.  
Filed : October 15, 2001  
Tech Cntr/AU : 2663  
Examiner : Min Jung  
Entitled : VC MERGING APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR  
ESTABLISHING/TERMINATING CONNECTION THEREOF  
  
Attorney Reference : 123037-05005099  
Customer Number : 43569

**MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment/response for this application.

**EXTENSION OF TIME**

A petition for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is not believed necessary.

**CLAIM FEES**


The claim fees have been calculated as follows:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total	23	—	29	= 0 x \$ 50.00	= \$ 00.00
Independent	3	—	7	= 0 x \$ 200.00	= \$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM+ \$ 360.00					= \$ 0.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE</b>					<b>\$ 0.00</b>

**FEE PAYMENT**

Authorization is given herein to charge the any deficiencies in the fees not specifically authorized herein, or to further credit any overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 503-121 in order to maintain the pendency of this application.

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 27, 2005 for the above-identified application, amendments and/or remarks submitted herewith include:

- A complete claim listing; and
- Remarks and arguments.